

ters Emma Reynor and H. E. Beer and also by Bro. C. E. Doty. Trustees for Brethren church incorporated as follows were elected: J. W. Beer, C. H. Christensen, H. E. Wolfe, Edward Reynolds and H. R. Holsinger. Conference decided to hold a camp-meeting during the autumn of 1894. Committee on camp-meeting as follows were elected: Wm. Ronk, Ed Reynolds, H. E. Wolfe, B. G. Frederick and J. P. Wolfe. Committee on resolutions to National Conference was elected; the following persons were elected: H. R. Holsinger, J. W. Beer and C. E. Doty. A collection of \$4.75 was taken up for the necessary expenses of state conference.

\$64 00 was subscribed for evangelistic work for the ensuing year. Bro. C. E. Doty tendered his resignation as a minister in the Brethren church his reasons for so doing are these: 1st, want of time to give proper attention to the work of the ministry II Tim. II, 15; iv, 2. 2nd, Unbelief in the right of the church to vote the office of ministry on a member and require him to discharge such duty without proper support. 3rd, want of qualifications. 4th, want of willingness to serve under existing circumstances. The Brother's request was granted with much regret on the part of those who have worked with the Brother.

Resolved that it is the sense of this conference that under existing circumstances we can not hold Bro. Z. H. Copp as a minister in the Brethren church.

Brother J. W. Beer was duly authorized to inform Brother Copp of the action of conference.

Next session of the state conference will be held at Lathrop beginning on 1st Thursday of April, 1895, and continue until the business of the church be properly attended to. Committee on resolutions report the following:

Thanking God for his protection and guidance and all the innumerable favors of the past and present and for the blessed hope which we enjoy for the future.

Resolved, that we will make greater efforts to sustain and advance the work of Evangelism for the spread of the Gospel and the salvation of souls.

Resolved, that we favor and encourage the Sister's Society of Christian Endeavor.

Resolved, that we use and encourage every consistent means for the abolition of the use of all intoxicating liquors except for medicinal and mechanical purposes and that we encourage the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in their work.

Resolved, that we make whatever efforts we can for the observance of one day in seven as a legal Sabbath which shall be the first day of the week.

Resolved, that we favor and encourage the society of King's Children.

Resolved, that there be a committee of one appointed in each congregation to solicit funds for general mission work.

Resolved, that we send affectionate greeting and sympathy to our editor and wife whose deep affliction in the illness of their only child bring them in close sympathy with the Brotherhood.

Resolved, that we thank our worthy president for the able and impartial manner in which he discharged his duties.

Resolved, that we return a vote of thanks to the brethren and sisters of Lathrop church for the hospitable manner in which the delegates to the State conference have been entertained.

Resolved, that a condensed report of the proceedings of this conference be sent to the BRETHREN EVANGELIST for publication.

H. E. WOLFE, Sec.

PROGRAM FOR THE BRETHREN SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

FOR THE STATE OF OHIO, TO BE HELD AT WEST ALEXANDRIA, ON JUNE 6, 1894.

First session.—Wednesday 1:30 p. m. Devotional exercises, by Sarah Keim, Address of welcome, Martin Shively; Response to address of welcome,

J. L. Kimmel,

Appointment of committee on credentials.

Secretary's report of last convention,

Report of committee on credentials,

Appointment of committees.

1. Tabulated Statements,

2. On queries,

3. On nominations,

4. On resolutions,

Question. How secure the attention of children of non-church goers,

J. M. Tombaugh.

General discussion,

Adjournment.

Second session.—7:30 p. m.

Devotional exercises, Dr. Pearson.

Question.—The aim of the Sunday school, led by A. J. Baughman. General discussion,

Report of committee on Queries,

" " " Tabulated

Statements,

Report of com. on Resolutions,

" " " Nominations,

Adjournment.

Executive Com., { Martin Shively,
J. M. Tombaugh,
D. R. Wampler.

Program for the convention of the Brethren churches of Ohio, to be held at West Alexandria, on June 7 and 8, 1894.

First session.—Thursday 9:30 a. m.

Devotional exercises by the chairman.

Appointment of committee on credentials.

Report of committee on committees to present nominations for committees on

General church work,

Education,

Woman's work,

Young people's work,

Temperance,

Resolutions,

Nominations of officers for next convention,

Member board of appeals,

Member H. M. B.,

Trustees Ashland College.

Topic.—Our relation to single immersion.

Opened by J. M. Bowman.—Discussion.

Report of committees.

Board of Appeals.

Home Mission Board.

Convention treasurers report.

Topic.—Upon what ground do we continue to foster, improve and enlarge the Brethren church.

Led by P. J. Brown.—General discussion.

Report of committees on

General church work.

Education.

Publication.

Topic.—Election and ordination of officers.

Led by Martin Shively.—Discussion.

Report of committees on

Woman's work,

Young people's work,

Temperance.

Topic.—Best methods for conducting revivals,

Led by E. E. Haskins. Discussion.

The state of the churches.

Reports of pastors. Three minute Speeches.

Report of committees on

Nominations.

Resolutions.

Adjournment.

Executive Com., { Martin Shively,
J. M. Tombaugh,
D. R. Wampler.

NOTES FROM THE WORK SHOP.

J. H. PALMER.

According to previous arrangements I started April 6th, for Cornell, Ill., by the way of Chicago. I had thought of calling on Brother Harrison, but after learning of the good connection I could make at Dearborn Station I kept right on to Cornell.

After traveling about three hundred miles I landed in Cornell, at about 3.30 P. M. As my arrival was earlier in the day than was expected no one met me at the station. But through previous correspondence I had learned the name of Brother John Baringer, Proprietor of the village restaurant; so we made for his place. On my arrival I met the Brother for the first time. He is large and portly. At first sight of me his conclusion was "well, another salesman." A sort of surprise played over his face when I introduced myself as the preacher who was called there. After learning of the Brethren's idea as how they expected the preacher to look I could not blame them for being disappointed. They were looking for a large portly man, about fifty years old, gray hair, and glasses on his nose. Quite a contrast to a man just entering in his twenty eighth year. We were made welcome and on Saturday afternoon we met the Brethren and Sisters in a private house and asked them what arrangements they had made for the meeting. I offered a few suggestions until we understood each

other, and then was ready to begin the battle.

As usual when the Lord began his work the Devil begun his, but in spite of all the opposition we had a very good meeting. We believe the near future will bring blessing and prosperity to the church at Cornell. We made our home with Brother Baringer who is a Brother indeed and his good wife and children made my stay as pleasant as they could. May God abundantly bless them. Brother Mast, the home preacher, is an earnest worker and God will bless his labours. Brother Vanderree, one of the main posts, is an earnest worker and will keep things moving. There are many more good Brethren and Sisters whom we could mention but time and space forbids.

We closed the protracted meeting with communion. After the communion meeting Monday evening the members selected two Deacons: the lot fell on Brother Baringer and Vanderree who were duly installed.

All in all our trip was an enjoyable one. On the morning, the 24th we left them for home. Our prayer is that God may keep them from harm, and build them up in the most Holy Faith. We are busy in the master's work. Our health is improving so that we can meet the engagements, we already made and others that may come.

Yours for salvation,

Grayston Ave. Huntington, Ind.
May 4th, 1894.

ROANN WORK FLOURISHING.

ROANN, IND. May 5th, 1894.

We rejoice to mention that God is rewarding the efforts of the Brethren to advance his kingdom in this place.

The revival spirit manifested in our meetings a few weeks since, remains with us and our prayer meetings are a grand success both spiritually and numerally. Young "soldiers" taking a very active part in them. The K. C. is progressing nicely with a membership of near eighty. After one week's meeting, beginning May 14th, we will have communion services in evening of May 21st.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Brother and Sister Harrison in their sad bereavement. Let us remember that "God is love."

S. M. BAIRD.

SIX ADDITIONS.

S. J. HARRISON.

DEAR BRO.—We labored in Pendleton Co., W. Va. for a week which resulted in six additions. Four baptized and two by relation. The people in this section seem to like the "Gospel alone" doctrine. They know what is good when they hear and see. We ask the prayers of the Brotherhood in our behalf. May we all labor for the saving of souls, and give all the praise to God.

Yours Fraternally,
Jos. I. HALL.